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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Officer, DD/A

FROM : [REDACTED]
Chief, Technical Security Division
Office of Security

SUBJECT : FY 79 RD&E Program

1. The attached listing is the Office of Security combined priorities for projects under consideration by ORD/DDS&T and OTS/DDS&T. As agreed upon in a telephone conversation between [REDACTED] of this Office and yourself, the priorities are ranked in a four tier system (Priority Tier I being highest and Tier IV the lowest).

2. The basis for these rankings are strictly on today's thinking about long range problems. We hope that many of these programs will be resolved by FY 78 which is one reason for ranking some of them lower on the scale. As you may note, we have given one program a zero ranking. We did not ask for a continuation of the [REDACTED] and at this time based upon the past failures of the system we can see no reason to fund it prior to the outcome of a research study now underway within ORD. Its chances for success are more limited than several similar programs rated in Tiers I and II.

3. Should you have any questions on these ratings please call [REDACTED] on Green Line [REDACTED]

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